

GOVERNOR DECLARES TWO-THIRDS OF ALL TAXES BEING EXPENDED FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES IN STATE

PHOENIX, Jan. 3.—Some startling figures as to the cost of education were presented by Governor Campbell before the Arizona Teachers' Association.

Two-thirds of every dollar raised from every form of taxation, declared the governor, goes for education. The annual bill amounts to \$6,754,829.15, of which the common and high schools receive \$4,476,751.15. What becomes of the money? What does Arizona secure in exchange? Is the money wisely expended? Is there room for improvement? Does Arizona need more money for schools or does it need a more efficient expenditure of its educational funds?

These were the questions raised by the governor's address and though he did not answer them categorically the general impression left by his remarks was that Arizona has no educational system but rather an educational chaos.

Only Half in Schools

Why is it that only half the children of school age are in school, as disclosed by average daily attendance figures?

Why is it that \$2.3 per cent of the children do not finish the eighth grade?

Why is it that only 2.4 per cent graduate from high school?

These were some of the questions asked by the governor to show that despite the fact that Arizona schools are rated high by government and educational experts, there is nevertheless something sadly defective in the system.

If it costs \$67 per child per year for the common schools of Douglas, why should the per capita cost be \$102 at Bisbee or \$83 at Tucson?

Why should the common school expense be \$41.39 at Mesa and \$101.35 at Globe?

Wide Divergence

If the Tucson high school with an attendance of 416 has a per capita cost of \$128.80, why should Phoenix high, with an attendance of 833 have a per capita cost of \$177.78?

Getting into the rural districts why should there be such huge discrepancies in the per capita cost between the several districts of the same county?

Lack of system of the answer, according to the governor, who made it clear that drastic reform must be undertaken at once if Arizona is to perfect its educational program. Whether this would require more funds than are now being supplied the speaker left up to the educators but he advised them that if they had in mind any suggestions to or requests of the legislature, they should be prepared to answer some of the questions put to show the cause of the discrepancies and be prepared to prove that any appropriations asked would be a wise investment.

"You will be dealing with hard-headed business men," said the gov-

ernor, "and they doubtless will want to know some of these things. After the legislature has passed upon your plans or suggestions as to what is needed they will be laid before the executive department and you can have my assurance that I will lend every co-operation necessary to put over any program of proven necessity."

Some interesting figures on the rural schools were presented as follows: Average daily attendance, one-room schools, 3950. Average daily attendance, two rooms and up, 38,391. Percentage of attendance in rural schools to total, 9 per cent, Maricopa having the lowest with 2 per cent and Apache highest with 23 per cent. The per capita cost in one-room schools is \$50.65 per year and in city schools \$70.90. Navajo has the lowest per capita cost in the rural schools with \$69.06 and Gila county the highest with \$105.62.

Comparisons

A comparison of the per capita costs of seven high schools was presented as follows:

High School	Attend- ance	Per Capita Cost
Tombstone	30	\$172.31
Benson	25	730.49
St. David	23	286.19
Williams	19	272.05
Holbrook	28	158.06
Florence	23	501.68
Ray	21	462.76

The same degree of variance of per capita cost is noted in the common schools, according to the next table presented as follows:

Common Schools	Attend- ance	Per Capita Cost
Bisbee	2884	\$102.30
Douglas	2652	7.00
Tucson	2172	85.90
Globe	1135	101.35
Miami	959	84.23
Clifton	1019	62.36
Morenci	1080	58.16
Mesa	996	41.80
Glendale	763	62.90
Flagstaff	306	135.67
Williams	246	77.18
Thatcher	297	45.26
Alma	311	56.07
Ajo	313	135.24

The tremendous sum now expended on education in Arizona is made up as follows, according to the governor:

Common schools	\$4,836,599.43
High schools	789,754.47
High schools voca.	66,823.07
High schools, military training	446,848.89

Total for common and high schools \$6,146,875.15.

In addition to this sum the normal schools and the university receive comparatively small amounts as follows: Normal schools, \$261,000; University, \$346,154. This brings the total for the annual cost of education in Arizona to \$6,754,829.15.

GUATEMALA CITY GARRISON IS ATTACKED

Adherents Of Former President Storm Building; 3 Killed, 7 Wounded.

GUATEMALA CITY, Jan. 3.—A disorganized mob of adherents of former President Cabrera attacked headquarters of the commander of the garrison Saturday. The mob was dispersed by rifle fire after two had been killed and four wounded. Its leader, a man named Pepper, was arrested.

Campbell Assumes Office; Formality Is Entirely Absent

PHOENIX, Jan. 3.—All formalities were avoided when Governor Thomas E. Campbell began his new term of office at noon today and other newly elected state officials entered upon their duties.

There was no swearing in or officials by justices of the supreme court no inaugural speech by the governor from the balcony of the state house, no cheering of crowds. The members of the new administration had previously filed oaths of office with the secretary of state and they simply occupied the offices to which they had been elected. During the afternoon, prior to the convening of the Republican state committee, Governor Campbell held a reception in the executive offices which were decorated with roses, poinsettias and potted plants.

Two Non-Partisan Papers In North Dakota Suspend For Inability To Get Cash

GRAND FORKS, N. D., Jan. 3.—The Grand Forks American and the North Dakota Tidende, non-partisan league newspapers, have suspended publication, it was announced today. Inability to collect outstanding indebtedness or to obtain funds from notes issued by stockholders, is given as the reason by John H. Brown, general manager. He asserted that the company was solvent and assets exceeding liabilities by several thousand dollars.

The American began publication here September 30, 1918, as a daily and was incorporated for \$100,000. Tidende a weekly printed in Norwegian, made its appearance 15 months ago and a further capitalization of \$50,000 was announced.

Assessed Valuation Of All Arizona Property Increases 900 Per Cent In Nine Years

PHOENIX, Jan. 3.—Assessed valuation of property in Arizona has increased more than 900 per cent in nine years, reaching a total for 1920 of \$86,000,000, according to the biennial report of the state tax commission, submitted to the governor today. The report gave 1920 valuations on various classes of property as follows:

Railroads, \$100,985,637.06; mining property of all descriptions, \$469,651,131.18; lands and improvements, \$103,252,333.64; towns and city lots, \$92,991,192.50; livestock, \$41,808,486.25; all other property, \$75,856,901.87.

Woolwine Investigating Child's Death, Said To Have Been Parents' Fault

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 3.—Thomas Lee Woolwine, district attorney, today announced that he was investigating the death of a child, alleged not to have had medical attention. This, he said, was in pursuance of his recent declaration he would prosecute adherents of non-medical healing. "These children died without medical attention. A coroner's jury in the case under investigation found death 'was due to diphtheria, the parents not realizing the seriousness of the case.'"

Illinois Republican Says Wastefulness Made Wilson Most Hated Man In America

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—Pleading for economy in government expenditures, Representative Mann, Republican of Illinois, declared today in the house that the one thing that "made President Wilson the most hated man in the United States" was the gross wastefulness of the administration. "The people were sore over the orgy of extravagance," said he. "If this side of the house (the Republicans) is wise, it will heed the warning. Unless the new president helps to run an economical administration, he will never be returned."

STEEL PLANT TO RESUME PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 3.—The Superior Steel Corporation, an independent concern employing 1200 men, today announced it would resume in some departments Wednesday with a wage cut of about 15 per cent.

The American Legion has now 9569 posts.

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New Mexican Secretary Of War



General F. Estrada, the new secretary of war in President Obregon's cabinet, is shown here on the pony which he rode through several revolutions and which is still his favorite mount.

Jack Dempsey Is Sued By Negro For \$700 Alleged Due

SALT LAKE CITY, Jan. 3.—Jack Dempsey, world heavyweight pugilist champion, was made defendant in the district court here today in action filed by J. F. Burns, a negro, in which it is alleged that Dempsey has failed to pay Burns for special services performed between January 10 and March 15, 1920, amounting to \$700.

It also is alleged that Burns loaned Dempsey \$3500 between those same dates and a third allegation is that the plaintiff provided the pugilist with automobile and taxicab service during those dates to the value of \$300 for which he says he had received no compensation.

Dempsey and his manager, Jack Kearns, were served with papers in the case when they were in Salt Lake City a week ago.

JUDGE GILRUTH DIES

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Jan. 3.—Thomas W. Gilbrath, 77, former member of the Colorado supreme court, died here today. He is survived by his widow and two daughters, Mrs. John J. Gilfoyle of Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. Clarence B. Stone of Denver. The body will be shipped to Denver tomorrow morning where, it is understood, burial will be made.

Trace 3 Deaths In Phoenix To Gas Poisoning

PHOENIX, Jan. 3.—Dr. H. K. Beauchamp, city health officer, announced tonight that because of numerous cases of carbon monoxide gas poisoning, some of which had resulted fatally, he would urge the city commission to appoint a gas inspector. He ascribed the poisoning to defective gas heating stoves. The health officer said the matter probably would be laid before the commission at its meeting to be held next Wednesday. Dr. Beauchamp said three deaths had been traced directly to gas poisoning; that there were others which physicians believed probably were due to that cause and more than a dozen cases of poisoning had been recorded here in the past year.

NAVY RECRUITING STOPPED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—Recruiting for the navy has been suspended temporarily, it was learned tonight. All new enlistments have been prohibited and only reenlistments are authorized.

It was said the strength of 12,000 men reached several days ago was the maximum possible under the appropriation of congress.

In the history of the United States navy no ship has ever been in the hands of mutineers.

2 Big Seaplanes Join "Comrades" On Banderas Bay

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Jan. 3.—Traveling at a rate faster than 72 miles an hour, seaplanes Numbers 5 and 6 of the NC division in the San Diego to Panama flight at 4:52 p. m. today reached Banderas Bay on the Mexican mainland, ending a successful dash from Magdalena Bay.

When the huge machines volplaned to the water the 12 F-3-L machines and the two NC planes were together for the first time since the take-off from this harbor last Thursday.

Original plans called for the seaplanes squadron to leave Banderas Bay, which is 130 miles south of Mazatlan, at daybreak tomorrow for a flight to Acapulco. If Captain Henry C. Mustin, commanding the flight, adheres to this schedule, all 14 planes will take wing together and the machines may be expected to reach their destination about 3:30 p. m.

AIR SCHOOL IS MOVED

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Jan. 3.—Orders for the removal of the air service mechanics school from Kelly Field, near San Antonio, to Cranute Field, Rantoul, Ill., were received today. The first units will move by January 15 and the equipment and personnel will be at the new location by February 1, according to an announcement today.

25 ARE ARRESTED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—In addition to three killed and seven wounded, 25 persons were arrested in Guatemala City Saturday as a result of the efforts of a mob to seize an armory, the state department was informed today by the American legation. The attacking party was said to have numbered nearly 200 and included many reported sympathizers with Estrada Cabrera, imprisoned president.

PROBE TEXTILE INDUSTRY
WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—The situation in the textile industry from the labor point of view was brought to the attention of members of congress today by representatives of the American Federation of Labor and the United Textile Workers. Both announced their intention "to pursue a campaign for congressional investigation" of the reduction of wages and closing of plants due, they declared, "to the arbitrary and concerted design of employers."

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